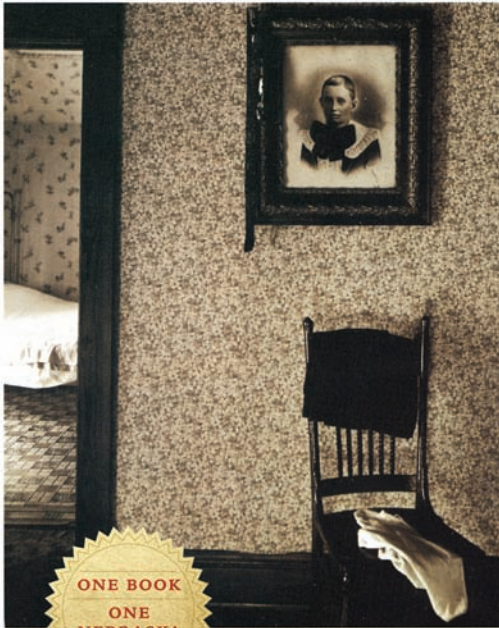


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Book Description:

Reproduced from the 1948 edition of *The Home Place*, the Bison Book edition brings back into print an important early work by one of the most highly regarded of contemporary American Writers.

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About the Author:

Born in 1910 in Central City, Nebraska, Wright Morris wrote thirty-three books, including *Field of Vision*, which won the National Book Award. He died in 1998. John Hollander, Sterling Professor of English at Yale University, is a poet, critic, and the author of many books including *The Gazer’s Spirit*.

Praise for *The Home Place*

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